

STONE-CUTTER KILLS HIMSELF

Miles McCabe Leaves Note Saying He Had Lost Control of His Mind.

For fear that he would lose his mind, and believing that he would be better dead, Miles McCabe, sixty years old, a stone-cutter by trade, committed suicide yesterday morning in the lodging house of Mrs. Caroline Ball, 29 North Seventeenth Street, by inhaling gas.

He was found about 10:30 o'clock by Mrs. Ball and several roomers, who were attracted to the room on the third floor occupied by McCabe by the strong odor of gas. The door was broken open, and the body was found lying on the bed. McCabe had been very careful in his preparations. Every opening in the room, every chink through which air might permeate, and even the keyhole, were stuffed with clothes or paper. On his person was found a note addressed to L. Gordon, secretary of the Stone Cutters' Union of Granite, Maryland. In it McCabe asked forgiveness for either a sin, act, and stated that he was losing his mind. He said that he lost control of his mind last Tuesday and also on Saturday. "I would be better dead," he concluded, "and will undertake the job alone."

McCabe came to Richmond about four weeks ago, but since then had been almost constantly in the City Hospital, suffering from rheumatism. He left the City Hospital a week ago, and went to the lodging house. It is not known to have had any position. It is said that he has a brother in Lawrence, Mass., and another brother in Vermont.

The body will be cared for by the local union.

HEN TIES UP TROLLEY LINE

Bound to Lay That Egg, and Passengers Join Her Cackling.

New York, February 27.—Trolley traffic on the Avenue C line, in Bayonne, was blocked twenty minutes yesterday afternoon by a speckled and rosy-combed hen that scooped for herself a nest between the car tracks and made the usual preparations for laying a high-class, low-priced egg. The first trolley car that arrived after the hen had settled herself on the nest was filled with passengers.

Henry Wilderman, the motorman, who knows much about cold storage and lined eggs, but little about strictly fresh ones, ran his car close to the hen before he stopped it, and leaning over the dashboard, yelled "Shoo!" The hen simply looked up at him and winked and settled herself all the closer on the nest. Passengers near the front of the car looked out and saw what was blocking traffic. They laughed at first, but when those in the rear of the car yelled to the motorman to go ahead, those who could see the hen protested.

"Give her a chance," one man said. "I haven't seen a strictly fresh egg since I left the farm fifteen years ago."

"And I was raised in the city and never saw one," the motorman replied. "I'm always ready to look at curiosities."

Minute after minute elapsed, and soon every one became interested, including those in a car that lined up behind. Finally the hen fluttered off the nest and began cackling as though

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TWO INDICTMENTS AGAINST EACH MAN

Action of Grand Jury Against Alleged Mutineers—Motion to Quash.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Warsaw, Va., February 27.—George Wallace, H. Brady and H. Norsely, who were arrested on the night of January 28 and landed in the jail at Montross on the Monday following, charged with the brutal murder of Captain Allen Dorsey, of Fairfax, Md., commander of the schooner Irene Ruth on the morning of January 28, on which they were employed, and also charged with the assault upon John Allen, the mate, who died later in a Washington, D. C. hospital, were indicted for murder in the first degree by the regular grand jury at Montross to-day. Two indictments were brought in against each of the prisoners. As soon as the attorneys representing the indicted men moved that the indictment be quashed, as the case should be tried in Maryland and not in Virginia, Judge Wright took the cases under consideration, and will render his decision following April term of court. The following friends of the indicted men from Somerset county, Md., were present to-day at court, and took a lively interest in the proceedings: E. W. Parks, J. W. Beachamp, Muriel White, M. Lalimer, O. R. Dorsey, Captain Carl Parks, George S. Walker, Geo. D. Townsend, E. H. Hall, Method Holland, Elmore Catlin, Geo. W. Walston and Floyd Holland.

ANOTHER ARREST MADE

Wade Williams, of Lewis West's Gang, captured in Wilson.
Wilson, N. C., February 27.—Wade Williams, another of the West gang, and who West states was in Mary Young's house at the time of murder of Deputy George Mumford, was arrested here to-day and placed in jail Williams says he returned here from Norfolk yesterday. Sheriff Sharp, learning that he was here, had the house he was located in surrounded by deputies and policemen, and he was captured without resistance. The city and county authorities have retained counsel to assist the State in the prosecution of the West crowd at the special court to be held here beginning March 13.

JAMES CITY COUNTY WILL HELP IN BUILDING ROAD

Contribution of \$1,350 for Richmond-Newport News Highway, and Appeal for State Aid.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Williamsburg, Va., February 27.—The James City County Board of Supervisors met here to-day, and unanimously appropriated \$1,350 toward the cost of building a sand and clay road between Richmond and Newport News. The board's appropriation to-day included an application for State aid in the sum of \$1,000, which will make the total amount from James City, \$2,350. This county's proportion of cost has been fixed at \$2,000, and the balance will be contributed by the Williamsburg City Council and by private subscriptions.

Frank W. Darling, president of the Peninsula Good Roads Association, of Hampton; L. B. Manville, chairman of the executive committee, of Newport News, and M. C. Armstrong, chairman of the roads committee, of Hampton, appeared before the board, and gave encouraging account of the progress already made in securing funds. Manville, under whose supervision the road work is being done, said the road will be built, says he expects to begin work in April, and finish by early fall. He will have from five to six camps, located in the several counties, and each camp will be expected to construct one-quarter of a mile daily. Three prizes will be given to the foremen of the camps for the best work done in the shortest time at the least cost.

Conley Challenges Coulson.
New Orleans, La., February 27.—Frank Conley, of Kenosha, Wis., who was defeated by Johnny Coulson, in a twenty-round bout at the Westside Athletic Club Sunday afternoon, to-day challenged Coulson for a return match. Conley reports that his failure to be at the bantam weight champion Sunday was due to the fact that he took off two pounds in eight days in order to make the required weight.

Nearly All Stock Sold.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Suffolk, Va., February 27.—At a meeting of the Suffolk Baseball Association to-night, further plans looking to entrance into the Tidewater club league were made. Nearly all the stock has been sold, and a charter soon will be applied for.

Alleged Forger Captured.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Suffolk, Va., February 27.—Joe Wright, "the negro forger," has been captured in Warrenton, N. C. In long distance talk with the Mayor of Warrenton this afternoon, Police Chief Brinkley learned that there are seven forgers charged against Wright at Warrenton. Wright passed three forged checks on Suffolk merchants. He also is wanted in Petersburg and Newport News.

FIRE DESTROYS BUSINESS SECTION OF LA GRANGE

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Goldsboro, N. C., February 27.—La Grange, a prosperous little town twelve miles east of this city, suffered a \$100,000 fire loss last night. The main business section of the town was destroyed, together with the bank and hotel.
The fire started in a grocery store, of unknown origin, and as the town was without adequate water supply or organized fire department, the flames were uncontrollable.
Ten business houses were destroyed, and insurance carried is estimated at \$250,000.

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Aida a me togliesti (Aida Thou Hast Taken)
Twelve-inch, with orchestra, \$4 each. In Italian.

Another Homer-Caruso duet
The great Azucena-Manrico duet in the gypsies' camp, Act II of Trovatore.

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Name of Market		Total Number of Pounds of Leaf Tobacco.		January, 1911.	
in		Sold at First Hand.		Resold.	
Virginia.	Bright.	Dark.	Bright.	Dark.	
Altavista	45,135	232,132			
Amelia Courthouse.		431,429			
Appomattox		426,125			
Bedford City		1,076,411			66,582
Blackstone		308,510			4,530
Brookneal	30,541	756,590			3,584
Chase City	359,458	53,400			1,546
Chatham	865,292		55,947		
Clarksville	409,453		15,310		
Clover			35,909		
Cumberland	126,169				
Danville		560,525			23,250
Dilwyn	5,183,141		519,361		
Drake's Branch		531,815			62,185
Farmville		1,525,421			
Franklin Junction.		3,943,331			
Franklin	379,392		30,054		
Kearney	450,899	100,587	22,994		2,000
Keyville	88,930	55,287			11,793
Lawrenceville		16,612			
Lynchburg		4,095,400			
Martinsville	1,065,956				
Pamplin City		527,940			
Petersburg		1,849,185			
Rice Depot	209,674	134,550			
Richmond		2,385,550			595,005
Rocky Mount.	600,500	110,000			
South Boston.	1,890,352				
South Hill.	425,103	8,045			
Virginia	154,932		12,500		

The following warehouses have not made their reports of sales for January, 1911: New Centre, Chase City, Va.; Crenshaw-Planters Warehouses, Richmond; Star Warehouse, South Boston, Va.

Special requests have been sent out to the warehousemen asking their co-operation in this work, and that their reports be sent in just as soon as they are able to make them. Some, however, have been very negligent in this respect. I hope it will not become necessary to apply the penalty for violation of this law.

News of South Richmond

South Richmond Bureau.
The Times-Dispatch.
1020 Hull Street.
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A. T. Traylor was yesterday chosen by Judge Watson, of the Chesterfield county Circuit Court, to succeed Special Officer Watts as policeman of the Oak Grove district. The selection of Mr. Traylor had been generally anticipated, although there were fifteen applications for the vacant position filed with Magistrate Cheatham. The usual number of applicants and the support given them by their friends has aroused considerable interest over the appointment, but almost universal satisfaction is felt in the choice of Mr. Traylor.

The appointment was made after a conference with the Board of Supervisors of Chesterfield county, held yesterday at the courthouse. Little business was handled outside of the routine. Bills were certified, the county accounts examined, and the discussion of roads taken up. Favorable comment was passed on the result of the employment of convict labor on the county roads.

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Yesterday morning was given over to hearing the remainder of the testimony for the defense, which cleans up the last of the witnesses, and court was adjourned about noon. Illness in his family made it impossible for Judge Wells to hold court after lunch yesterday, and as R. H. Mann stated it would be impossible for him to appear to-day, the final day of the trial was set for Wednesday.

In the course of the four days of the trial nearly fifty witnesses have been examined.

Must Get Licenses.
Assistant City Treasurer Bronaugh's warning having been without effect, the Police Department has now begun to summon those people who are operating wagons without having secured the necessary 1911 wagon licenses. Yesterday several firms in the Southside were reported by the patrolmen to be without the new wagon tags, and were summoned to appear in the Police Court, Part II, this morning.

Aside from the expenses of the court proceedings, the law provides a penalty of increase in the licenses of those wagon-owners who are late in complying with the requirements of the ordinance.

In the Police Court, Part II, yesterday morning John Pollard was fined \$2.50 for being drunk.

Charles H. H. (colored), charged with cran shooting and disorderly conduct, was fined \$5 and costs.

George Henderson, charged with skipping a board bill of \$25, was dismissed after paying the costs of the proceedings.

Funeral of Little Boy.
The funeral of Warren Hunter Mann, the two-year-old son of Mr. A. A. Mann, of 3206 Stockton Street, who died Sunday morning, was conducted yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence. The interment was made in Maury Cemetery.

The child's father died exactly four weeks ago.

Moving Pictures for Charity.
Tuesday night will be a special night at the Victoria moving picture house for the benefit of the organ fund of the Meade Memorial Church, of Swansboro, and the Church of the Good Shepherd, of Forest Hill. In addition to the regular picture show there will be a special program of songs and music.

On this occasion a series of sacred pictures will be shown, among which is a roll entitled "The Raising of Lazarus."

Lodge News.
An unusually important meeting of the Indiana Tribe of Improved Order of Red Men was held last night at 7:30 o'clock in Fraternity Hall, corner of Eleventh and Hull Streets. The braves were out in force to consider the matters laid before the tribe.

The regular weekly meeting of Stuart Lodge of Odd-Fellows will be held to-night at 8 o'clock in the Odd-Fellows Hall, South Richmond.

Progressive Council, Daughters of Liberty, held its regular meeting last night in Fraternity Hall, corner of Eleventh and Hull Streets.

Lily Council, Daughters of Liberty, will hold its regular weekly meeting to-night at 8 o'clock in Ceresley's Hall, corner of Hull and Clayton Streets, Swansboro.

Personal and General.
The series of revival meetings under the direction of Rev. W. C. Birch, which began recently in the Asbury Methodist Church, will continue every night of this week. Large congregations are turning out nightly to listen to Mr. Birch's sermons and many conversions are being made.

Rev. J. J. Wicker, of the Leigh

Street Baptist Church, who recently conducted the successful revival meetings in the Bainbridge Street Baptist Church, will give in that church on the night of March 24 an illustrated lecture on the subject of his trip through Palestine.

The church social last night in the Central Methodist Church resulted in a large gathering of the church membership. Refreshments were served and an entertaining program of music was rendered.

The "Lend-a-Hand Society" of the Bainbridge Street Baptist Church will give a tacky party Friday night at the home of Mrs. T. E. Burton, for the benefit of the church annex fund. Charles Dickinson, son of F. T. Dickinson, of 412 Cowardin Avenue, who was recently knocked down and run over by a grocery wagon, is improving from his rough experience.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Snellings, of Salisbury, N. C., are visiting relatives in South Richmond.

at Chesterfield.
Plans for a county fair were discussed yesterday at an enthusiastic mass-meeting of citizens at Chesterfield Courthouse, and the indications are that a real county fair like the one last year—only "larger and finer than ever before"—will be undertaken this year.

Prominent in the movement are Senator J. B. Watkins and Delegate W. W. Baker and the sympathy and support of the most influential citizens of the county have been enlisted in the project. While the plans for the fair have not been definitely mapped out, and the leaders prefer to keep silent until complete details are ready, it is probable that some public statement will be made shortly.

The fair of last year, a genuine country agricultural fair, was a success in every respect, and it is hoped that the interest of the farmers all over the county can be attracted this year to the displays. Senator Watkins has already had some experience in the handling of agricultural exhibits and fairs and believes conditions are promising for such a project at Chesterfield.

SIX CITIES MAY ORGANIZE NEW BASEBALL LEAGUE

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Clifton Forge, Va., February 27.—A local organization was formed here this afternoon to promote a baseball league, to be composed of this place, Harrisonburg, Staunton and Covington, all in Virginia, and Lewisburg, Hinton, in West Virginia. A committee was appointed to visit each of the above named towns, and see what the prospects are. The idea will be to have a season of six games. Informal reports have already been received from four of the other towns, and they are favorable to the idea. Eugene Mathews, the president of the local organization, is one of the leading business men of the city.

FIVE DAYS' LIMIT TO WASHINGTON

The R. F. & P. R. R. announce that, effective March 1st, limit on the present three-days' excursion ticket between Richmond and Washington, sold at \$5.00, will be increased to five days, including date of sale. This gives two additional days for business or pleasure at the National Capital, with no advance in fare.

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